

LITTLE LOCAL ITEMS.

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What has become of Leumas and Kentucky Cardinal? We miss their newsy letters.

We desire to call the attention of our subscribers to the advertisement of Mr. L. M. Callis.

Misses Katie and Alice Muir of Baltimore are visiting the home of Mrs. William B. Nelson, their cousin.

Capt. Frank E. Miller, of Norfolk, is spending a few days in the County, visiting friends and relatives.

Our popular townsman, Mr. Geo. S. Miller, is still quite sick. We hope he will soon be on the road to recovery.

Mr. B. T. M. Hunley and family have returned to their home in Baltimore after a visit to Mrs. Josephine Hunley.

Several communications were left out of this issue in consequence of their reaching this office too late for publication.

Miss Estelle James, daughter of our popular townsman, Capt. Alexander James, is visiting her parents at Spring Dale farm.

Judge Garnett is in receipt of a letter from the Auditor, stating that County Treasurer J. J. Burke had settled up with the State in full.

Miss Anna Lee Hodges left for Norfolk on Friday last after a stay in Mathews of more than two months. She goes back to her old position.

Mrs. Maggie Shawn left for Norfolk on Tuesday to study up the latest styles. Expect she'll be back in a week with all the Parisian fashions.

Prof. Leatherbury arrived Saturday to take charge of the Mathews High School, which will open Monday, the 11th, with a good corps of teachers.

Miss Eva Armistead, of Rockingham, N. C., who has been on a visit to her cousin, Miss Virginia Billups, at Green Mansion, has returned to her home.

Misses Virginia Sutton and Florence Garnett, of Richmond, who have been visiting at Popular Grove for the past ten days, have returned to their homes.

Mr. Shepard G. Miller, of Baltimore, is spending this week on his farm Spring Hill, where his daughter, Miss Bessie D., and his sister are spending the summer.

A good many of our people attended Gloucester Court on Monday, among them were J. M. Pugh, E. M. Blake, D. F. Kirkpatrick, H. H. Hale, J. J. Burke, and others.

Miss Genevieve Pettit, a graduate of the Woman's College, Richmond, has arrived in the county to take charge of the primary department of the Port Haywood Academy.

We are glad to welcome back to the county Mrs. Dr. John H. Sears and her daughter, Mrs. Mitchell. They are stopping at the hotel for the present, and expect to move in their old home shortly.

Mrs. Wm. H. Hudgins, of Cricket Hill, has been quite sick for the past ten days. All of her children, seven daughters and four sons, have been home to see her; first time in a number of years they have all met together.

Among those from this county who attended the Garnett-Ryland wedding, which took place in King and Queen on the 6th, were Judge and Mrs. G. T. Garnett, Miss Ellen Douglass Garnett, Mrs. Burke Garnett, Mr. Taylor Garnett and Hon. J. Boyd Sears.

Judge and Mrs. G. T. Garnett, Miss Ellen Douglass Garnett, Taylor, L. C. G. and

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Gathered By Our County Correspondents.

DIGGS.

Capt. A. J. Morgan left for Norfolk last week to resume his duties on the tug Philadelphia.

Mr. Chase Morgan, who has been visiting his grandfather, Capt. J. C. Hudgins, left for his home in Portsmouth last Saturday.

Miss Ethel White has returned to Norfolk after spending her vacation with her many friends and relatives here.

A. J. Morgan and O. F. Morgan took a number of young ladies out fishing last Wednesday. They caught quite a number of the finny tribe.

Mrs. John Knight and daughter, Florence, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. E. T. Callis.

Mr. Amos Owens is quite sick at his home near Diggs. He is attended by Dr. Hoskins.

Mr. and Mrs. Star returned from Berkley last Thursday. They visited Mrs. Star's brother, Capt. W. L. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Forrest returned to their home in Atlantic City last Tuesday after a month's stay at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Forrest.

Mr. Roland Callis was home for a few days last week.

Capt. W. B. Diggs will be home this week.

Misses Florence and Blanche Knight were the guests of Mrs. W. Joe Hudgins on Friday last.

Mrs. Eula Anderson left for Baltimore on the 6th.

C. Sledd Diggs, second officer of the steamship Geo. W. Clyde, accidentally cut off one of his fingers last week and is now under treatment in Norfolk.

The family of Capt. James L. Hudgins of Pheobus are now in their new home, the former home of William L. Diggs.

The farmers are busy hauling tomatoes to the factory.

Misses Ethel White, Estell Diggs, and Florence and Blanche Knight were the guests of Miss Florence Morgan on Wednesday last.

RETZ.

Mr. Spencer Treake made a flying trip to Norfolk Saturday and came back Monday.

Capt. Malvern Hughes will leave Wednesday for Hampton.

Miss Clara Sadler of Hudgins is assisting Miss Rose Hughes in her sewing this fall.

Miss Lilly Marchant is quite sick at the home of Capt. W. B. Hurst. We hope she will soon recover.

Mrs. R. W. Hudgins returned to her home in Norfolk Monday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary Hurst.

Messrs. John and Charlie Hurst and Alex. and James Marshall have returned from an extended trip to Cape Charles.

We were glad to welcome the little stranger at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marchant, which arrived last Sunday. May he brighten their home and make them happier than before.

Mrs. Emily White left Tuesday for Norfolk.

Mr. Cally Green made a flying trip to Eastern Shore last week with Captains Will and James Ward.

Capt. Willie V. Hughes and wife are the guests of his father, Mr. T. M. Hughes.

Mr. Jeff White has returned to Norfolk. He has been spending some time with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Melvin Thurston and three children, Mary, Daisy and Melvin, are boarding at the Court House. The two girls will attend school there.

NORTH.

Rev. H. H. Moore and wife left Friday for their home in Greenville, N. C.

Miss Lulu Yarrington has returned home after a pleasant stay with her relatives.

Miss Clarine Mason is visiting Ocean View and Newport News.

Miss Emma Boyd is visiting at the home of her father, "Green Plain."

Miss Eva Arnstead of Wilcox, N. C., is visiting Miss Virginia Billups.

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NEW POINT.

Mr. Hudgins returned to his work in Newport News Monday, after spending a week with his Miss Myrtle and Lottie Mason left Monday for Baltimore. They have been visiting Miss Annie Brooks.

Mrs. Frank Dow, who has been spending some time with her sister, left Monday for her home in Baltimore.

Mrs. Alex Lilliston's little infant was brought up on the Mobjack Monday, met at Diggs' Wharf by its grandfather, Mr. Joseph Davis, and interred in St. Paul's cemetery.

Some of our young people missed Sunday School Sunday morning on account of the rain. Although it is very disagreeable going through the rain, still I think we ought to be willing to get sprinkled rather than miss Sunday School.

The trim yacht Nellie, of Newport News, brought a party of pleasure seekers last Sunday, arriving at Diggs Wharf about noon. Those who composed the party were Capt. T. H. White, Heathe, Hurnden, Hamlet, Wilson, W. Hudgins, M. Hudgins, C. Thomas, C. Brooks and a number of other. After taking in all the sights on East River, they journeyed to Severn, Ware, North and York rivers and returned to Newport News Tuesday. The party were highly pleased with their trip and say they had every convenience so far as the deck was concerned, as they were kept clean by a mixture of salt and fresh water. One of the boys expressed himself by saying, "Well we had a good time, plenty to eat, drink, chew, smoke and read," but what he didn't like was hewas a Methodist when he left Newport News, but now he is a Baptist.

SOUND ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.

Quit sowing wild oats—quit at once. There is only one bit of advice better than this and that is never begin! Wild oats ripen, as a rule by gas-light, and the light is turned off for a night that never ends. Stealing makes a man a thief. Don't be a thief by "tricks in trade," or "smart bargains," or gambling. When your companions make sport and fun of the "old folks at home," you get up and leave at once. There is not much decency left in a man when he looses respect for his mother. Keep company with nice young women. See them often, be with frequently; but the one who is bold, who uses language lightly, and smiles at things that should chill instead of thrill—cut her from your list before the sun sets. Go to church on Sunday. What if the preacher is a little prosy. Don't be so small in your mental make-up as to imagine a church service is made by the pulpit alone. Go there because you can worship God and pray. Be as full of fun as a pudding is full of sweets; but when jest is made of sacred things, and vile stories are told, you frown like a thunder storm. Keep your word, in small and great things alike. A liar was never liked on earth nor in Heaven. If you say you will be there at twelve o'clock, be on the spot at eleven-sixty to the tick.

LITTLE LEAFY.

BOHANNON.

The round of summer entertainments and young people's pleasure parties have nearly ceased, and the natives have settled down to every day life, such as fodder getting, drying fruit and canning peaches. The latter, however, is not much in evidence, as the crop is unusually small.

Most of the summer visitors have left. Among the latest departures are Mr. S. F. Minter, Capt. Herbert Riddick, Carter White, Howard White, John and Jessie Machin, and Misses Trixie Fletcher and Maude Vandervoort.

Rev. George H. McFaden and family, who have been spending their summer vacation here, have returned to their home in Norfolk.

Rev. C. H. Williams has commenced revival services at Grace Church, Mobjack. The services began on Tuesday.

Sunshine is a delightful welcome after so much stormy weather. Much fodder was caught on the ground and is now of little value.

Willow Grove Academy

NOTICE!

This is to inform the public that on account of having some trouble in getting our policies printed we are about thirty days behind in getting our business started. We have received them, however, and are now ready for business. We want to write every policy in Mathews County, if we can, and are offering big inducements to do so. The prime object in starting this company was to save some of the money we are continually paying out for insurance. We hope therefore that the people of Mathews will sympathize with us in the move and patronize the company.

This is not the only place where the people are kicking about high insurance. I am just in receipt of a circular from the Furniture Assurance of America, to the effect that upon investigation they find that for every \$13.00 paid for insurance in the United States last year \$9.00 of it was profit and that the said Association expects to start a company at once to carry its own insurance. I hope, therefore, our efforts will be appreciated and that when you have anything to insure you will come to see us. If you haven't anything yourself, tell your neighbor about us. We want business and expect to do the right thing to get it. For further particulars apply to

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